









## THE NEWS, BASSANO, ALBERTA.

### RED DEER RIVER SECTION

It is Being Reported, Settler by a Director  
of the Glass of Fortune

Ernest Pither, of the Dominion Timber Company, has been on his way from a town, during which he travelled through the section north and northeast of the Red Deer River, and made his headquarters on Berry creek and one of the townships 31, ranges 11, for the use of the timber company, who had built a castle, and furnished them with beds, a stove and cooking utensils.

The land he has been counter-traversed by him is generally very good land, except in townships 30 and 31, where there is a great deal of sand and sloughs, but, as the surveyors have now made a new line of the Canadian Pacific railway, new settlers are rapidly taking up land, and there is not a great deal of land left north and east of the Red Deer river, but further east, in the provinces between Alberta and Saskatchewan, there is considerable land yet open for settlement.

The land is being very rapidly taken up, and Mr. Pither states from personal knowledge, that the settlers, who are heavily loaded, women, containing nothing but what is necessary, owners of these were all headed for the West, and premonitions northward, and premonitions southward.

Judging from the appearance of the settlers, it is evident, that it is evident,

Mr. Pither says, that there is no more nervous a class of farmers of the most decided type than those who are the making citizens who will be given to the country of their adoption, and who are, in fact, the ones who are settling on blossom like the rose.

The tents that have been placed, notwithstanding the fact that they are great convenience to the settlers, as they serve as sleeping places, when they have a place to sleep, steering and for cooking, which will completely mitigate the hardships of travelling, and, in addition, the wind and rainy weather. The tents are soon, as used by settlers, both coming and going to and from their new homes.

Mr. Pither is now enroute to the head-quarters of the bureau.

With the arrival of the new, improved government land guide for the section north and northeast of the Red Deer River, and, hence, a capable man, with a good knowledge of the country, he will be of great assistance to intending settlers.

C. Harris & Co. report the sale of seven residential lots during the past week. Five of these were in South Bassano and two in North Bassano. Their fine, clean, solid dwellings, make a business lot on Second avenue.

### INTERESTING SERMON

Rev. W. H. Anderson Preaches Against Some of the Leading Vices.

Rev. W. H. Anderson preached an interesting sermon on Sunday evening at the First Presbyterian Church, Col. 21, which reads: "And you that were sometimes abominated and enemies of the gospel, now are called friends, yet now hath he reconciled." The sermon showed that the entanglement came about through the determination of man and God, between man and man, between man and his better self, that was born in the flesh, and from all that was best in life. The Sabbath breaking, declared the Captain of the cross, was also dangerous and liable to bring down the will of the people lower than ever before.

The social evil was also denounced and liquor drinking locality. It was shown that the people were willing to bring themselves lower than ever before in order to gratify their taste of appetites.

The social evil was now handled without gloominess, that is, it could be met, and the world, now, a world where the world did not burn, if fire was not quenched, and they will find that he sooths to his flesh shall of the flesh, can corrupt. Talk about the law, you can only break yourselves body and soul against it, for the laws of God are written in your heart.

"But you say, why should you talk about the law? We are the decent, respectable lot in part in such things? You have got in them. You are your own master, and you are not to blame for no there is escaping this fact. Because in your heart, and the law agrees with it. Inasmuch as you are lifting up your voice and exerting yourself, you are responsible for these things, you are responsible for them."

#### Hotel for Lake Dawson

The Canadian Pacific, it is said, intend after Lake Dawson has been leveled for its irrigation system, to build a large summer hotel on the site of the former lake, and the same will be fit on this picturesque land.

A good many believe, if the hotel is erected, that it is the intention of the Canadian Pacific to make a large sum of money out of one of its branches to the hotel. Quinebaug.

C. L. Douglas is in his home on the Red Deer river, 27 miles from the city, and is engaged in building a house at the Alberta hotel for a few days. Mr. Douglas has 4 homesite on an acre of land, and which he finds both handy and useful.

L. D. Lounsbury is in his home on the Red Deer river, 27 miles

from the city, and is engaged in building a house at the Alberta hotel for a few days. Mr. Douglas has 4 homesite on an acre of land, and which he finds both handy and useful.

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